

STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Howard Registration Dist. No. 198
 Village or City Ellicott City Md. No. St. Ward
 (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. mos. ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

2. FULL NAME

Elcinda Rebecca Gaugh
 (a) Residence: No. Ellicott City Md. St. Ward.
 (Usual place of abode) If nonresident give city or town and State

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>Female</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>Married</u>
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of <u>Warren S. Gaugh</u> (or) WIFE of <u> </u>		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) <u>August 18, 1860</u>		
7. AGE <u>71</u>	Years <u>5</u>	Months <u>13</u>
8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BDDKKEEPER, etc. <u>Household</u>		
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc. <u> </u>		
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) <u> </u>		11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation <u> </u>

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Maryland
 (State or country)

13. NAME Nicholas Jones

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Maryland
 (State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME Susan Stinchcomb

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Maryland
 (State or country)

17. INFORMANT Warren S. Gaugh
 (Address) Ellicott City Md.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL
St. John's Cemetery Date Feb. 3, 1932

19. UNDERTAKER Easton Sons
 (Address) Ellicott City Md.

20. FILED 2/3, 1932 W. H. Trissell
 Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

Feb. 1, 1932
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Jan 5, 1932, to Feb 1, 1932
 I last saw him alive on Feb 1, 1932; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 11 A.m.
 The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Heart & lung failure
& chronic myocardiopathy
 Date of onset 2072

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis? Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? Date of Injury , 19

Where did injury occur?
 (Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed) W. H. Trissell M. D.

(Address) Ellicott City Md.

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UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Statement of occupation.—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write *housewife* in answer to Question 8 and *own home* in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as *servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc.* For a person who had no occupation whatever write *none*.

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- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as “employee,” “worker,” “operative,” etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as *spinner, weaver, etc.*

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as “store,” “factory,” “mill,” etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as *grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.*

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Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Arteriosclerosis

Chronic interstitial nephritis

Cerebral hemorrhage

Date of onset

1915

1921

July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones

May 1, 1923

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Attack of epilepsy

Run over by street car

Peritonitis

Date of onset

1 week ago

1 week ago

3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis

1 year

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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1 PLACE OF DEATH County <u>Howard</u>			STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH Registration Dist. No. <u>191</u>		
Village or City <u>Ellicott City, Md.</u> (No. _____)			St. _____ Ward) (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)		
2 FULL NAME <u>Hugh Thompson Harrison</u>					
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS					
3 SEX <u>Male</u>		4 COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>		5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED <u>Married</u> <small>(Write the word)</small>	
6 DATE OF BIRTH <u>March 8th 1868</u> <small>(Month) (Day) (Year)</small>					
7 AGE <u>63</u> yrs. <u>11</u> mos. <u>5</u> ds. <small>IF LESS than 1 day ____ hrs. or ____ min.?</small>					
8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work <u>Clerk</u> (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) <u>Hardware store</u>					
9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>					
10 NAME OF FATHER <u>Richard Spriggs Short Harrison</u>					
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>					
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Sallue Dorsey Pue</u>					
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) <u>Maryland</u>					
14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) <u>Flora B. Harrison (Wife)</u> (Address) <u>Ellicott City, Md.</u>					
15 Filed <u>7/15</u> 19 <u>32</u> <u>W. L. Linsell</u> <small>Registrar</small>					
MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH					
16 DATE OF DEATH <u>February 13th 1932</u> <small>(Month) (Day) (Year)</small>					
17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from <u>192</u> to <u>192</u> , that I last saw him alive on <u>10 P. M.</u> and that death occurred on the date stated above, at <u>10 P. M.</u> The CAUSE OF DEATH * was as follows: <u>Suicide by shooting himself in right temple with a revolver</u> <small>(Duration) ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds.</small>					
Contributory Secondary <small>(Duration) ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds.</small>					
(Signed) <u>W. L. Linsell</u> M. D. <u>Ellicott City, Md.</u> 192 (Address)					
*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.					
18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents) At place of death ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds. In the State ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds. Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? _____ Former or usual residence _____					
19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL <u>St. John's Church</u> DATE OF BURIAL <u>Feb 16, 1932</u>					
20 UNDERTAKER <u>Easton Sons</u> ADDRESS <u>Ellicott City</u>					

REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public
Health Association.)

Statement of Occupation—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. The question applies to each and every person, irrespective of age. For many occupations a single word or term on the first line will be sufficient, e. g., *Farmer or Planter, Physician, Compositor, Architect, Locomotive engineer, Civil engineer, Stationary fireman*, etc. But in many cases, especially in industrial employments, it is necessary to know (a) the kind of work and also (b) the nature of the business or industry, and therefore an additional line is provided for the latter statement; it should be used only when needed. As examples: (a) *Spinner*, (b) *Cotton mill*; (a) *Salesman*, (b) *Grocery*; (a) *Foreman*, (b) *Automobile factory*. The material worked on may form part of the second statement. Never return "Laborer," "Foreman," "Manager," "Dealer," etc., without more precise specification as *Day laborer, Farm laborer, Laborer—Coal mine*, etc. Women at home, who are engaged in the duties of the household only (not paid *Housekeepers* who receive a definite salary), may be entered as *Housewife, Housework*, or *At Home*, and children, not gainfully employed, as *At school*, or *At home*. Care should be taken to report specifically the occupations of persons engaged in domestic service for wages, as *Servant, Cook, Housemaid*, etc. If the occupation has been changed or given up on account of the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, state occupation at beginning of illness. If retired from business, that fact may be indicated thus; *Farmer (retired 6 yrs)*. For persons who have no occupation whatever, write *None*.

Statement of Cause of Death—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Group"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia*, *Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

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unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningitis, peritonaeum*, etc., *Carcinoma, Sarcoma*, etc., of (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles*; *Whooping cough*; *Chronic valvular heart disease*; *Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death, 29 ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile" etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uræmia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL septicaemia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. FOR VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning*; *Struck by railway train—accident*; *Revolver wound of head—homicide*; *Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, leucæmia*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 194

1 PLACE OF DEATH

County Harford

(182)

Village or City Dayton (No. _____)

St. _____ Ward _____ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Buffy Johnson

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH Feb 26, 1931
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE _____ If LESS than 1 day _____ hrs. _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. or _____ min.?

8 OCCUPATION
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work _____
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) _____

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Md Dayton

10 NAME OF FATHER Harley Johnson

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Md

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Elizabeth Borman

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Harley Johnson
(Address) Brookville R.F.D.

15 Filed Feb 7 1932 J. C. Nichols Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Feb 7, 1932
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Feb 7, 1932 to Feb 7, 1932, that I last saw her alive on Feb 7, 1932, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at about 10 a.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH * was as follows:
Accidental smothering

Contributory Secondary

(Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.
(Signed) S. A. Nichols M. D.
Feb 7 1932 (Address) Clarksville Md

*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. In the State _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? _____

Former or usual residence _____

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

Linthicum Chapel Cem Feb 9, 1932

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS
F. C. Negenthorpe Ellicott City

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STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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1. PLACE OF DEATH

County HowardVillage or City nr. Long Corner

No.

Registration Dist. No. 193

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. 1 mos. 22 ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

2. FULL NAME

Norman Williams Meyers(a) Residence: No. nr. Long Corner, Md. St. Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX M. 4. COLOR OR RACE C. 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) single5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND or (or) WIFE of not married6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) Dec. 20, 19317. AGE Years — Months 1 Days 22 If LESS than 1 day, min.8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. none
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)
11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) nr. Long Corner, Md. (State or country)13. NAME Unknown to me - illegitimate

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME Laura Beatrice Meyers16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) nr. Long Corner, Md. (State or country)17. INFORMANT Harrison Meyers (Address) R. D. Mt. Airy, Md.18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Place Poplar Springs Cem. Date Feb. 13, 193219. UNDERTAKER Norman Snyder (Address) Mt. Airy, Md.20. FILED Feb. 3, 32 W. W. W. W. Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

Feb. 12, 1932
(Month) (Day) (Year)22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Feb. 12, 1932, to Feb. 12, 1932.I last saw him live on Feb. 12, 1932; death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 10:15 A. M.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Probably Pneumonia - Bronch.Date of onset 1 day

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Poorly nourished

Name of operation _____ Date of _____

What test confirmed diagnosis? _____ Was there an autopsy? no

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? _____ Date of Injury _____, 19____

Where did injury occur? _____ (Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury _____

Nature of injury _____

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify George M. Boyer M. D.
(Signed) D. M. Boyer M. D.
(Address) D. M. Boyer, Md.

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Example I

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Chronic interstitial nephritis

Cerebral hemorrhage

Date of onset

1915

1921

July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones

May 1, 1923

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Attack of epilepsy

Run over by street car

Peritonitis

Date of onset

1 week ago

1 week ago

3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis

1 year

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STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Howard Registration Dist. No. 194
 Village or City Highland No. _____ St. _____ Ward _____
 (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

2. FULL NAME

Gertrude Nichols
 (a) Residence: No. Highland St. _____ Ward _____
 (Usual place of abode) If nonresident give city or town and State

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX Female 4. COLOR OR RACE White 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) Married

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced
 HUSBAND of
 (or) WIFE of

Albert Nichols

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

January 9 1867

7. AGE Years Months Days If LESS than 1 day _____ hrs. or _____ min.
65 1 18

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.
 9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.

Housewife

10. Data deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)

11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country)

MD

FATHER MOTHER

13. NAME

George Cashell

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country)

MD

15. MAIDEN NAME

Catherine Barnard

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country)

MD

17. INFORMANT (Address)

Albert Nichols
Highland

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place St. Mark Cemetery Date Feb 29 1932

19. UNOERTAKER (Address)

Rubin Cundiff
Rockville MD

20. FILED

Feb 27 1932 S. D. Nichols

Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

Feb 27, 1932
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

Jan 1, 1932, to Feb 27, 1932
 I last saw her alive on Feb 27, 1932, death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 10 a m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Arterio Sclerosis

Date of onset
1929

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Myocarditis

Name of operation _____ Date of _____

What test confirmed diagnosis? _____ Was there an autopsy? _____

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? _____ Date of injury _____, 19____

Where did injury occur? _____

(Specify city or town, county and State)
 Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury _____

Nature of injury _____

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? NO

If so, specify _____

(Signed)

(Address)

S. D. Nichols M. D.
Clarksville MD

UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Statement of occupation.—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as “employee,” “worker,” “operative,” etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

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Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Arteriosclerosis

Chronic interstitial nephritis

Cerebral hemorrhage

Date of onset

1915

1921

July 5, 1927

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Attack of epilepsy

Run over by street car

Peritonitis

Date of onset

1 week ago

1 week ago

3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones

May 1, 1923

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis

1 year

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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1 PLACE OF DEATH		STATE OF MARYLAND	
County <u>Howard</u>		CERTIFICATE OF DEATH	
Village or City <u>Elkridge</u> (No. <u>Levering Ave</u> St. <u>Ward</u>)		Registration Dist. No. <u>190</u>	
2 FULL NAME <u>Andrew E. Quirk</u>		(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)	
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS			
3 SEX <u>male</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>white</u>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED <u>married</u> (Write the word)	
6 DATE OF BIRTH <u>Aug 14th</u> , 1 <u>862</u>		(Month) (Day) (Year)	
7 AGE <u>69</u> yrs. <u>9</u> mos. <u>3</u> ds. or min. ?		If LESS than 1 day.... hrs.	
8 OCCUPATION			
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work <u>switch board</u>			
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) <u>Co. Telephone</u>			
9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) <u>Genoa</u>			
PARENTS	10 NAME OF FATHER <u>Edward Quirk</u>		
	11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) <u>do not know</u>		
	12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Margaret Harris</u>		
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) <u>do not know</u>			
14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE			
(Informant) <u>Mrs Margaret B. Quirk</u>			
(Address) <u>Levering Ave. Elkridge, Md</u>			
15 Filed <u>Feb 9</u> 19 <u>32</u> <u>E. Reid Williams</u> Registrar		16 DATE OF DEATH, <u>February 8th</u> , 19 <u>32</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)	
17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from <u>1910</u> , to <u>Feb 8th</u> , 19 <u>32</u> , that I last saw him alive on <u>Feb 8th</u> , 19 <u>32</u> , and that death occurred on the date stated above, at <u>1 P.</u> m.			
The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:			
<u>Hæmorrhage into bladder</u> <u>cause unknown</u> <u>Sudden death</u> (Duration) yrs. mos. <u>1/2</u> ds.			
Contributory <u>Anæmia from loss of blood</u> (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.			
(Signed) <u>Fredrick V. Butler</u> M. D. <u>Feb 9th</u> 19 <u>32</u> (Address) <u>Reay Md.</u>			
*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury: and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.			
18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recent Residents)			
At place of death <u>21</u> yrs. mos. da.		In the State, <u>60</u> yrs. mos. da.	
Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? <u>✓</u>			
Former or usual residence <u>✓</u>			
19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL <u>Augustine's Ch. Elkridge, Md.</u>		DATE OF BURIAL <u>2/11/32</u> , 19 <u>32</u>	
20 UNDERTAKER <u>Fredrick V. Gell</u>		ADDRESS <u>Elkridge, Md.</u>	

REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public
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unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs*, *meninges*, *peritonaeum*, etc., *Carcinoma*, *Sarcoma*, etc., of (name origin); "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles*; *Whooping cough*; *Chronic valvular heart disease*; *Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), 29 ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Irritation," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Trauma," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "Puerperal septicaemia," "Puerperal peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For violent deaths state means of injury and qualify as accidental, suicidal, or homicidal, or as probably such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning*; *Struck by railway train—accident*; *Revolver wound of head—homicide*; *Poisoned by carbolio acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis*, *tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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STATE OF MARYLAND
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 193

1 PLACE OF DEATH

County HowardVillage or City Crofton(No. 2)St. 2

Ward)

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Mary C Stewart

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX 14 COLOR OR RACE white5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word) widowed6 DATE OF BIRTH Sept 17, 1859

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

7 AGE 72 yrs. 5 mos. 1 ds. or 1 day 5 hrs. 1 min.?

If LESS than 1 day

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Retired

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Baltimore10 NAME OF FATHER John Steubler11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Ind.12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Margaret Cacady13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Ind.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Chas. Washfield(Address) Crofton15 Filed Feb 19, 1932M. J. Masterson

Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Feb 18, 19232

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Mar 29 to Feb 18, 19232that I last saw her alive on Feb 18, 19232and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 9-45 m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH,* was as follows:

chronic endocarditis(Duration) 8 yrs. 1 mos. 1 ds.Contributory Secondary arterio-sclerosis(Duration) 8 yrs. 1 mos. 1 ds.(Signed) M. J. Masterson

M. D.

Feb 19, 19232(Address) Crofton

*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death 1 yrs. 1 mos. 1 ds.In the State 1 yrs. 1 mos. 1 ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL BaltimoreDATE OF BURIAL Feb 20, 193220 UNDERTAKER John J. SmithADDRESS BaltimoreMARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING
WRITE PLAINLY WITH UNFADING INK--THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

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STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Howard
 near Ellicott City
 Village or City

Registration Dist. No.

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>Female</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (circle the word) <u>Widow</u>
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced, HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of <u>Charles A. Thompson</u>		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) <u>May 6 1866</u>		
7. AGE Years <u>65</u>	Months <u>11</u>	Days <u>8</u>
		If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.
8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. <u>None</u>		
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.		
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)		11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>
13. NAME <u>Charles E. Harman</u>
14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>
15. MAIDEN NAME <u>Eliza Jane Buckner Lee</u>
16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>
17. INFORMANT (Address) <u>Charles E. Clair Thompson</u> <u>Ellicott City</u>
18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Place <u>Loudon Park Cem.</u> Date <u>Feb. 16 1932</u>
19. UNDERTAKER (Address) <u>Epston Sons</u> <u>Ellicott City</u>
20. FILED <u>2/15/32</u> 19 <u>32</u> <u>Frank Shipley</u> Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

2

(Month)

14

(Day)

1932

(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

2/15, 1932, to 2/14, 1932

I last saw her alive on 2/14, 1932; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 5 a m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Cerebral Hemorrhage

Date of onset

2/10/32

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Hypertension
Atherosclerosis

1919

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy? no

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? _____ Date of injury _____, 19____

Where did injury occur? _____ (Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? no

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

M. D.

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The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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1 PLACE OF DEATH

County HowardSTATE OF MARYLAND
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 190Village or City Ecc Ridge (No. Honover Rd St.; Ward)

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

2 FULL NAME

Dr. Harrison Tongue

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED Married
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Feb 22, 1847
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 84 yrs. 11 mos. 18 ds. If LESS than 1 day, hrs. OR min. ?

8 OCCUPATION
(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Physician
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) Retired

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Md.

10 NAME OF FATHER Benjamin Tongue
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Md.
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Eliza M. Pherson
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Massachusetts

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Harrison Tongue Jr.(Address) Ecc Ridge Md.

15 Filed Feb 4, 1932 E. Kind Williams
REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Feb 3, 1932
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Jan, 1932, to Feb 3, 1932,

that I last saw him alive on Jan 30, 1932,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 6 A.M.

THE CAUSE OF DEATH * was as follows:

Hypertrophied prostate with retention
several years.
(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory gastroenteritis and uremia
Secondary

(Signed) Redmond B. Butler
Feb 3, 1932 (Address) Rees - Md
(Duration) yrs. 2 mos. ds.

* State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL or HOMICIDAL.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)

All places of death 3.5 yrs. ✓ mos. ✓ ds. In the 84 State, 84 yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, If not at place of death? ✓

Former or usual residence ✓

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Melville M. E. Cemetery DATE OF BURIAL Feb 5, 1932

20 UNDERTAKER S. Lester Esch ADDRESS Elkridge Md

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Statement of Cause of Death—Name, first, the disease causing death (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia*; *Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia," unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs*, *menin-*

ges, *peritonaeum*, etc., *Carcinoma*, *Sarcoma*, etc., of (name origin); "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for tubercular neoplasms); *Measles*. *Whooping cough*; *Chronic muscular heart disease*, *Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles (disease causing death), 29 ds.; Bronchopneumonia (secondary), 10 ds.* Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anæmia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Hæmorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Tænia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "Puerperal septicæmia," "Puerperal peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For violent deaths state means or injury and qualify as *accidental*, *suicidal*, or *homicidal*, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning*; *Struck by railway train—accident*; *Revolver wound of head—homicide*; *Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis*, *tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "Contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

If this certificate is looked over thoroughly and all questions answered in detail, it will prevent further correspondence. All the data is essential and must be obtained before the certificate is permanently filed.



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STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

61752

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Howard

Registration Dist. No.

171

Village or City

Ellicott City, Md.

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U. S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

2. FULL NAME

Unknown White Child

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

Female

4. COLOR OR RACE

White

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,
OR DIVORCED (Write the word)

Single

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced

HUSBAND of
(or) WIFE of

Deceased Feb. 5th/32.

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

Birth about 6-1/2

If LESS than

1 day, hrs.

or min.

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular
kind of work done, as SPINNER,
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

None

9. Industry or business in which
work was done, as SILK MILL,
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at
this occupation (month and
year)

Unknown

11. Total time (years)
spent in this
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)
(State or country)

Unknown

FATHER

13. NAME

Unknown

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)
(State or country)

Unknown

MOTHER

15. MAIDEN NAME

Unknown

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)
(State or country)

Unknown

17. INFORMANT
(Address)Julius Wosch Chief of Police
Ellicott City, Md.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Date

1932

19. UNDERTAKER
(Address)

Ellicott City - Md.

20. FILED

7.15

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1624 Linnell

Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

February 5, 1932
(Month) (Day) (Year)

22.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

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, to

, 19

I last saw him alive on , 19 ; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance
were as follows:

Date of onset

Found above dead child in
the woods

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of injury

, 19

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of Injury

Nature of Injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

Baleb D. Rogers

Acting Coroner
Ellicott City, Md.

UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Statement of occupation.—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

Statement of cause of death.—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Arteriosclerosis

Chronic interstitial nephritis

Cerebral hemorrhage

Date of onset

1915

1921

July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones

May 1, 1923

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Attack of epilepsy

Run over by street car

Peritonitis

Date of onset

1 week ago

1 week ago

3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis

1 year

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

02129

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Howard Registration Dist. No. 193
 Village or City near Lisbon = R.F.D. Woodbine, Md. St. _____ Ward _____
 (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 11 yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. How long in U.S. If of foreign birth? _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

2. FULL NAME

Margaret May Warfield
 (a) Residence: No. Same St. _____ Ward _____
 (Usual place of abode) If nonresident give city or town and State

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>Female</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>Single</u>
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of _____		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) <u>1918-3-2</u>		
7. AGE Years <u>13</u>	Months <u>11</u>	Days <u>25</u> If LESS than 1 day _____ hrs. or _____ min.
OCCUPATION <u>None</u>	8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. <u>at home</u>	
	9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.	
	10. Data deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)	
11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation		

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Maryland
 (State or country)

13. NAME Jas. Hm. Warfield

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Maryland
 (State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME Grace V. Main

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Maryland
 (State or country)

17. INFORMANT Mrs. Jas. Hm. Warfield
 (Address) R.F.D. Woodbine, Md.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL
 Place Pleasant Hill Church, Md. Date Nov. 1 = 1932

19. UNOERTAKER L. M. Harts
 (Address) Warfield, Md.

20. FILED Oct 27, 1932 M. Masterson
 Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

Feb. = 27 = 1932
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

_____, 19____, to _____, 19____

I last saw h. _____ alive on _____, 19____; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 2:30 P.M.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Hemorrhage (internal) Date of onset _____

Other Contributory Causes of importance: gun shot wound due to accidental discharge of 22 Rifle in the hands of Edmund + Walter Warfield

Name of operation _____ Date of _____

What test confirmed diagnosis? _____ Was there an autopsy? _____

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? accident Date of injury Feb 27, 1932

Where did injury occur? Living room

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of Injury Gun shot wound

Nature of injury fractured heart

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? No

If so, specify _____

(Signed) Frank E. Smith, (Coroner) M.D.

(Address) Lisbon, Md.

UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

STATE OF MARYLAND
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 192

1 PLACE OF DEATH

County Howard

Village or City Glenely (No. _____)

St. _____ Ward _____ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Infant Young

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE Colored 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH Feb 25, 1932 (Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. IF LESS than 1 day 4 hrs. or min.?

8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work (b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) None

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Md

10 NAME OF FATHER Benjamin Young

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Md

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Nettie Gray

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Nettie Young

(Address) Glenely Md

15 Filed Feb 26 1932 Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Feb 25, 1932 (Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Feb 25, 1932, to Feb 25, 1932.

that I last saw him alive on Feb 25, 1932.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 4 P. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH * was as follows:

Premature birth at about 7 months

(Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

Contributory
Secondary

(Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

(Signed) S. A. Nichols M. D.

Feb 26, 1932 (Address) Clarksville Md

*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. In the State _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence _____

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

Bushy Park Feb 26, 1932

20 UNDERTAKER Address

Father Ben Young Glenely

REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public
Health Association.)

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unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningitis, peritonitis*, etc.; *Carcinoma, Sarcoma*, etc., of (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Melas*; *Whooping cough*; *Chronic valvular heart disease*; *Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary, or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Melas* (disease causing death, 23 ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congestive," "S. oil," etc.), "Dropsy," "Emaciation," "Heart failure," "Hæmorrhage," "Insanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uræmia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or misarrriage as "PUERPERAL, septicæmic," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. FOR VULNER DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL or HOMICIDAL, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning*; *Struck by railway train—uncertain*; *Regular stand of food—benzidine*; *Poisoned by carbon tetrachloride—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as *fracture of skull*, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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